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HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE CHHATTISGARH : BILASPUR

SINGLE BENCH : HON'BLE SHRI S.R. NAYAK, C.J.

WRIT PETITION NO. 631 OF 2006

PETITIONER — Bhawani Shanker Tiwari, S/o Neelkanth Tiwari, aged about 21 years, resident near Water Tank, Pandariya Road, Mungeli, District Bilaspur (CG)

Versus

RESPONDENTS

1. State of Chhattisgarh, through it's Secretary Department of Higher Education, D.K.S. Building, Raipur (CG)
2. The Vice Chancellor, Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur (CG)
3. The Registrar, Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur, Tehsil and District Bilaspur (C.G.)

Present : Shri H.K. Sharma, learned counsel for the petitioner.
Shri Yashwant Singh, learned G.A. for the State.

(ORAL ORDER)
(Passed on 7th February, 2006)

The petitioner is a student of B.E. Course in Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur. The petitioner, alleging that though he was not required to pay tuition fees in terms of certain Government orders and circulars issued by the undivided Government of Madhya Pradesh, he paid tuition fees to the University and, therefore, the University is under obligation to refund the same, has filed this writ petition seeking a direction to the University to refund the tuition fees already collected since 2002. Since the petitioner has voluntarily paid tuition fees to the University, if he thinks that he is entitled to the refund of whatever he paid towards tuition fees from the University, he can work out his legal

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remedies before the jurisdictional Civil Court it being pure and simple money claim. Reserving such liberty to the petitioner, I dismiss the writ petition. No costs.

Sd/-
Chief Justice

G.Singh